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## BONANZA HIGHWAY NAMED OFFICIALLY

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## NO CANVASS NEEDED AT THIS TIME

Seven million square yards of canvas have been received by the Bureau of Public Roads by the State Highway Commission, as supplies for material and is now being distributed to highway departments in Nevada. A greater part of the material will be used to protect the roads from the sun while they are being graded, and to protect from rain (when) piled ready for use on the roads. It will also be used as tents in road construction work, temporary storage houses and garages.

Little use will be had for this canvas. Truth of the matter is that all the concrete road construction in Nevada has been completed through the misapplying of funds that should have come to Southern Nevada and other sections of the state. There will be no more concrete road construction until we have a Republican governor, which will be next January.

The northern part of the state as usual has been hogging the money to be expended upon roads in this state. Distribution of federal money is finding its way into one channel, and that is the localities favored by the important highway officials, and their acts are countenanced by our chief executive. Let us be careful Reno and Carson City will have used up all the federal appropriation before this section of the state receives any consideration whatever.

## COPPER IS LASTING

The man who has put copper water gutters and rain spouts on his house and copper screens over his windows, has built for all time and will have no further expense for painting or protection for these parts in any manner.

The statue of William Penn and other statues on the city hall in Philadelphia, all of which are made of bronze, and which were put in place at the same time the tower of the hall was built, are in perfect condition and will be a thousand years hence; the tower of the hall was covered with iron plates, instead of copper sheeting. These plates are now being repaired at a cost of \$75,000 and in a few years the entire tower will need rebuilding due to failure of the iron sheeting to withstand the elements. Thus, does copper withstand the ages.

Western copper mines employ thousands of workmen and the use of copper for domestic purposes in cooking utensils, screens, water gutters, etc., will enable these mines to operate on a steady and permanent basis giving employment to thousands of men who are now idle.

## MINING NECESSITIES

Early in March a group of men highly familiar with the mining industry in its most technical phases will meet in Washington for the purpose of inaugurating a system which will stand as possessing a

share of the benefits for the non-miner in mines.

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## WASHINGTON PEACE

Had there been no conference called for the discussion of naval armaments, or worse still, had the conference called failed of agreement, we should have continued a race for control of the sea, with the expenditures increasing as steadily and rapidly as did military expenditures in the European rivalry which culminated in the great war.

Had the conference failed of agreement upon the limitation of armaments, it must have failed of agreement upon the other anxious questions of far eastern policy; for Japan, expectant of war, would not have released its hold upon Shanghai, upon Chinese railroads, upon Siberia.

Had the conference failed England would be in military and naval alliance with Japan, a constant threat to America.

Had the conference failed we should inevitably have had war with Japan.

The peace of Washington is the triumph of diplomacy because sane at last, the triumph of common sense, the triumph of democracy making its determination felt upon government.

We are too close to it to realize its full purport. There is promise, however, that this peace will stand as the mark of a new epoch in world history, for what it accomplishes and for the example it gives the world.

## JUVENILE DELINQUENTS

A much larger proportion of mental defectives is to be found among delinquents as they appear in court than in the ordinary population, perhaps ten times as many," says Dr. William Healy, director of the Judge Baker Foundation in Boston, in a report just made public by the U. S. department of labor through the Children's Bureau. But Dr. Healy points out that individuals mentally normal are misdoers quite apart from matters of mental capacity and that many feeble-minded people live decently and do their work well. Determining the causes of criminal tendencies and "deciding treatment that is tremendously influential at the formative period of life," Dr. Healy says, "vastly outweighs in importance any decision of a criminal case that may take weeks in

## Best Harding Likeness by a Woman



The most striking resemblance of President Harding yet made by artist or sculptor is now being completed in Washington by Mrs. Sally J. Farnham, famed woman sculptor. The President is a busy man but has been prevailed upon to give time for these sittings.

## COWARDICE IS CAUSED FROM PHYSIOLOGY

EVANSTON, Ill., May 6.—Howard Jones is a matter of thirty-four and up of slenderness and character, and is a theory advanced by Dr. Charles Lewis Mix, professor of clinical medicine, Northwestern University.

"Fear," it is caused by the suspension of action by the adrenal glands which are just above but not connected with the kidneys. It is this

The report, entitled "The Practical Value of Scientific Study of Juvenile Delinquents," declares that all delinquent children need scientific treatment, and that mental tests alone do not suffice to give a true picture of the child's personality without study of his home, companions, play, employment, special temptations and bad examples, quality of schooling and other conditions of environment, taken together with his whole mental life, his lack of knowledge or his misinformation, his habits, secrets, grudges, and aims.

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